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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR

MANAGING OPERATING SYSTEMS

## **FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

MS Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.